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Attorney Docket No.

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

In re application of: Christian Behl et al.

Application No.

: 09/810,152

Confirmation No.: 2299

Filed

: March 16, 2001

For

: TRYPTOPHANYL-ESTERS AND THEIR N-

ACYL DERIVATIVES FOR PREVENTING AND

TREATING DISEASES CAUSED OR

AGGRAVATED BY OXIDATION PROCESSES

Group Art Unit

: 1617

Examiner

: San-ming Hui

New York, New York

July 28, 2003

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Hon. Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed January 28, 2003 in which the rejection of claims 12 and 16-29 was made final.

Applicant(s) respectfully requests an oral hearing [] before the Board of Appeals. The appropriate fee is submitted herewith.

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- [X] The appropriate fee for a <u>three</u>-month extension of time to respond to the final rejection was timely paid on <u>July 28, 2003</u>.
- [] An additional _____-month extension of time to respond to the final rejection is requested and the appropriate extension fee is submitted herewith.
- [X] Address all correspondence to:

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- [X] A check in the amount of [X] \$160.00 [] \$300.00 in payment of the [X] appeal fee, [] appeal and oral hearing fees, is enclosed.
- [X] The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional appeal fee, oral hearing fee, or both, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this Notice of Appeal form is enclosed.
- [] Please charge [] \$160.00 [] \$300.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-1075 in payment of the [] appeal fee; [] appeal and oral hearing fees. A duplicate copy of this Notice of Appeal form is enclosed.

EXTENSION FEE

- [X] The following extension fee is applicable to the Notice of Appeal filed herewith; [] \$55.00 extension fee for response within first month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [] \$205.00 extension fee for response within second month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [X] \$465.00 extension fee for response within third month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [] \$725.00 extension fee for response within fourth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [] \$985.00 extension fee for fifth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).
 - [X] A check in the amount of [] \$55.00; [] \$205.00; [X] \$465.00; [] \$725.00; [] \$985.00; in payment of the extension fee is transmitted herewith.

- [X] The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3), or to credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this Notice of Appeal form is enclosed.
- [] Please charge the [] \$55.00; [] \$205.00; [] \$465.00; [] \$725.00; [] \$985.00; extension fee to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this Notice of Appeal form is enclosed.

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